

United States
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Miles City Field Office

Ash Cr North Fork AMP
Grazing Permit

Determination of NEPA Adequacy
DOI-BLM-MT-C020-2013-0194-DNA

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Location/Legal Description: Prairie Co.

Ash Creek Allotment:

T. 12 N., R. 55 E., Sections 9 & 10.

T. 12 N., R. 56 E., Sections 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 (part), 14 (part), 15(part), 17, 20(part), 21(part) & 22(part).

T. 12 N., R. 56 E., Sections 30(part), 31(part) & 32(part).

A: Description of the Proposed Action: The proposed action is to ensure the allotment continues to meet the Standards for Rangeland Health and issue a BLM grazing permit to the applicant for the remaining term of the present permit. The term of the BLM grazing permit would be from May 30, 2012-February 28, 2022. The permit would be issued as follows:

Ash Creek North Fork Allotment No. 01336 (GR 2502838)

| Allotment Name & Number | Livestock Number | Livestock Kind | Grazing Begin | Period End | %PL | Type Use | AUMs |
|--|------------------|----------------|---------------|------------|-----|----------|-------|
| Ash Creek N Fork AMP Allotment No. 01336 | 21 | C | 03/01 | 02/28 | 100 | Active | 252 |
| | 357 | C | 05/01 | 11/10 | 80 | Active | 1,822 |

Total Active AUMs: 2,074

Terms and Conditions:

Line 1: Is the area outside the AMP; the rest is in accordance with the signed AMP dated April 24, 1970. Cattle may trail through the allotment to Cedar Creek.

Actual use records must be submitted within 15 days of the end of the grazing season or permittee will be billed for total preference, but must still submit actual use records.

Supplemental feed (includes salting) will not be placed within of quarter (1/4) of a mile of stock watering facilities, riparian zones, hardwood draws or wetlands. Supplemental feed defined as feed that provides for improved livestock nutrition or rangeland management, but does not replace forage available from public lands.

Any changes in livestock numbers, turnout and removal date, and livestock movements, other than those on the grazing permit, billing or grazing application, must be approved by the BLM's authorized officer.